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AGENDA AND PROGRAMME OF WORK 1991

1. The agenda of the Committee on Conferences for 1991 as approved by the Committee at its organizational meeting, held on 6 March 1991, was set out in document A/AC.172/143/Add.1. Subsequently, at its 327th meeting, held on 12 June 1991, the Committee decided to review the proposed programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993, section 32, Conference and library services, at its substantive session in August 1991, and requested the Secretariat to amend the agenda accordingly.

2. The approved agenda for 1991 as adopted is issued in the present revision to document A/AC.172/143/Add.1.

Agenda for 1991

1. Adoption of the agenda.

2. Calendar of conferences and meetings:

   (a) Adoption of draft calendar of conferences and meetings for 1992-1993;

   (b) Improved utilization of conference-servicing resources: meeting statistics of United Nations organs;

   (c) Improved organization of work and effective use of conference resources:

      (i) Existing conference resources, services and facilities within the United Nations;

      (ii) Possibility of central planning and coordination of all organizational aspects of conference servicing;

      (iii) Measures to improve the overall efficiency and effectiveness of the use of conference-servicing resources;

   (d) Consideration of the draft calendar of conferences and meetings of subsidiary organs of the Economic and Social Council for 1992-1993;

   (e) Procedures with regard to inter-sessional departures from the approved calendar of conferences and meetings.

3. Improved coordination of conferences within the United Nations system: implementation of General Assembly resolution 43/222 B, paragraph 4 (f).

4. Meetings of organs and programmes not funded from the regular budget of the United Nations.

5. Requests for exceptions to paragraph 7 of General Assembly resolution 40/243.

6. Review of the programme performance of the United Nations for the biennium 1988-1989: Department of Conference Services.

7. Application of new technology to conference servicing.

8. Role of the Committee on Conferences in the review of the Department of Conference Services.

9. Review of the proposed programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993, section 32, Conference and library services.

10. Other business.

11. Adoption of the report.